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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): H.D. Chadwick  
For: **METHOD, SYSTEM, AND PROGRAM FOR STORING DATA IN A DATA STORE**



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Enclosed are:

- ☒ 8 No. of Sheets of Drawings Sheet(s) of drawings + 0 extra copies;  
27 pages of Application; 15 pages of specification, 1 page of abstract  
☒ An assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation. (      Will follow.)  
     An associate power of attorney.  
     A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.  
☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney. (      Will follow.)  
     Certified copy of Patent Application No. filed from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.  
     IDS enclosed - references     .

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ITEM		NO. OF CLAIMS FILED MINUS BASE*	NO. OF CLAIMS OVER BASE	X SM/LG ENTITY FEE	\$ AMOUNT	\$ FEE	
A	TOTAL CLAIMS FEE	48 - 20* =	28	X \$9 or \$18	\$504		
B	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE**	3 - 3* =	0	X \$42 or \$84	\$0		
C	SUBTOTAL - ADDITIONAL CLAIMS FEE (ADD FINAL COLUMN IN LINES A + B)					504	
D	MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE SMALL ENTITY FEE = \$140; LARGE ENTITY FEE = \$280					\$0	
E	BASIC FEE* SMALL ENTITY FEE = \$370; LARGE ENTITY FEE = \$740					\$740	
F	TOTAL FILING FEE (ADD TOTALS FOR LINES C, D, AND E)					\$1,244	
G	ASSIGNMENT RECORDING FEE					\$ 40	\$40
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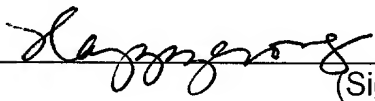
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